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Title: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR STORING AUDIO-CENTERED INFORMATION BY A TABLE-OF-CONTENTS (TOC) MECHANISM AND ALSO BY A FILE-BASED ACCESS MECHANISM THROUGH A ROOT DIRECTORY THAT CONTAINS A HIGHEST LEVEL TOC DIRECTORY, AND A UNITARY STORAGE MEDIUM CONTAINING SUCH INFORMATION

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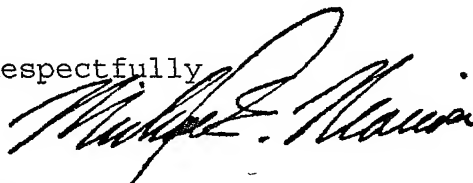
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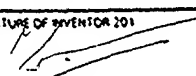
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